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In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, and more particularly in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b), Applicants hereby cite the following reference(s):

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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DE 199 25 064 A1	03-16-2000	Germany
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European Patent Office Search Report regarding Application Number PCT/EP 03/12660, dated 06-17-2004, 2 pages.

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Applicants respectfully request the Examiner's consideration of the above reference(s) and entry thereof into the record of this application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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